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H. H. JOSEPH, Superintendent, P. & O. S. N. Co. a Office, Hongkong, March 9, 1894.

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A PPLICATIONS for the POST of STEWARD of the above Club will be Received by the Undersigned up to Noon

on MONDAY NEXT, the 12th Instant. C. H. GRACE,

Hongkong, March 8, 1894. HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

Half-Yearly MEETING SHAREHOLDERS advertised for THURSDAY, the 8th Instant, is POST-PONED until THURSDAY, the 15th Instant at Noon. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED until 17th Instant. By Order of the Board,

Hongkong, March 5, 1894.

NOW READY. ONE DOLLAR.

DOLLARS AND STERLING DIOHANGE TABLE from 18. 9d. to 18. 1114d. forming a Supplement to our pravious

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HE STRAITS INSURAN COMPANY, LIMITED.

OFICE is hereby given that an Interim
DIVIDEND at the Rate of FIVE PER CENT, per Annum has been declared by the Directors of the above Company on the Underwriting Account for 1892, and will be PAYABLE at SINGAPORE OR 2ND The Transfer BOOKS will be CLOSED

from 23fd March to 2nd April, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Directors,

WM.

WM, MACBEAN, Hongrond Branch. Hongkong, March S, 1894.

NOTICE.

TUOK LOONG, DEAPER, &C., Nos. 6 and 7, Ignahurst Terrace. HAS RECEIVED Ex LATE ARRIVALS. NIEW AND FASHIONABLE GOODS

FOR THE SEASON. NUNS VEILINGS, PRINTED DELAINES, SHA LAGE, LADIES UMSRELLAS, FRENCH

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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM SHANGHAI AND KOBE.

TIME S.B. Marquis Bacquehem having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the HONGKONG AND KOWLOOM WHARP AND GODOWN Co., LIMITED, whence delivery

No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 15th Instant will be subject to rent.

Bills of hading will be countersigned by

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

L arrived from the above Ports Consigness of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods will be delivered from Cargo impeding the discharge or remain-ing on board after Noon of the 100

Inst, will be limied at Consignees risk and extense into Godowns at East Point. No Fire Institution will be effected. Bills of Lading will be wounterstand by JARDINE MATREDON & Och

Houghong, March 8, 1891.

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NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP

STRAMSHIP MOGUL, FROM TACOMA, VICTORIA, YOL

THIHE above Steamer having arrived, Consigness of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.

THE CHINA MUTUAL STRAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL AND SINGAPORE.

THE Company's B.S. Takling having arrived from the above Forts, Consigness of Cargo are hereby in tormed that their Goods are hemy landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Horse-

No Fire Insurance has been effected and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 12th Instant will be subject to rent. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before

Hongkong, March 6, 1894. STEAMSHIP DAUS

MARITIMES.

Bordeaux ex Steamship Frederic Morel, in connection with the above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods with

FINOY ELANNELS, WHITE FANCY LACES, tained immediately after landing.
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he Undersigned. Goods remaining unclaimed after THURS pay, the loth Instant, at Noon, will be subject to rent, and landing charges. All Claims must be sent in to me on or before Thursday, the 15th Instant, or they will not be recognised.
All Damaged Packages will be examined on TRUESDAY, the 15th Instant, at 3 p.m.

No Fire Insurance has been offected. G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, March 8, 1894.

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THE PREMISES at Quesn's ROAD CENTRAL, No. 72, Intely occupied by the PACIFIC MAIL and OCCIDENTAL & ORIENTAL S.S. Col.

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For Freight or Passage, apply to

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Captain B. Cass, will be
despatched as above on

For Freight or Passage, apply to General Managers. Hongkong, March 8, 1894.

WARRACK! LINE OF STEAMERS FOR NEW YORK VPA SUEZ CANAL The Steamship Capt J. C. WIELLMEON, R. N. R., will be despetched for the above Port on the 14th Instant.

DODWELL CARLIEL & Co., Hongkong, March 3, 1894

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NAVIGATION COMPANY LIMITED.

Intimation is received from the Consigness before 2. p.m. To-DAY (Thursday), the 8th FOR LONDON VIA PORTS OF CALL. The Co. a Steamship

JAMES GRAY, Commider, above on or about the 15th March.

For Freight, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.

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THE BANK OF CHINA, JAPAN, AND THE STRAITS, LIMITED. SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, ...£2,000,000. CAPITAL CALLED UP, ..... 251,093 15,Q. Bankers : CAPITAL & COUNTRY BANK, LINITED Head Offices 3, PRINCES STREET, LONDON. BOMBAY, CALCUTTA, HONGKORG & SHARCHAI.

PENANC, SINGAPORE AND YOLOHAMA. RATES OF INTEREST Allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits can be accertained on application. Merry description of Banking and Br. change business transacted

and after the Idra Instant, until further Notice the WATER SUPPLY be OUT OFF EACH DAY, between the hours of 9 p m. and 5 a.m. By Command,

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

G. T. M. O'BRIEN. Colonial Secretary. COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE. Hongkong, 8th, March, 1894

NOTION TO TOBACCO PLANTERS

AND OTHERS. TROAPORE, STRATTS, &c. :- KELLY & L. COMPANY, LIMITED, being Owners of a LABOR DUARTITY OF LAND IN NOBELL OHINA :- Motor, A. A. B. Chuz. Amoy, BORNEO, which has been appearally selected N. MOTURE & CO. LINIED COCONOCO, for PLANTING TOBICCO, SUGAR and COFFEE, HEDGE & Co., Shonghoi, LANE, CRAW- are withing TO SELL Leases free of ropp & Co., and KELLY & WALSH. rent for 999 years of said Lands in Blocks

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> For further Particulars, application should be made to the Company's Agents,

MESSES BOUSTKAD & Co.. Singapore. THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED

HE Eleventh Ordinary General MEET-ING of SHAHEHOLDERS will be held at the Company's OFFICE, Praya Central on SATURDAY, 17th March, at Moon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers, declaring, a Dividend, and electing a Consulting Committee and Auditors.

both days inclusive. SHEWAN & Co. PARE'S BANKING COX. BUS THE ALLEANDE Gaveral Managers Hongkong, February 27, 1894 THE HONGKONG ROPE MANUFAC.

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TURING COMPANY, LIMITED. THE Touch Oninary General MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Operon of the Company, Prays Central, on SATURDAY, 17th March, at 12.30 p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers, declaring a Dividend and electing a Consulting. Committee and

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 2nd to the 17th March, both days inclusive. BHEWAN & Co. General Managers.

Hongkong, February 27, 1894. OHINA SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE.

THE Sixteenth Ordinary Annual MEET-ING of SHAREHOLDERS of the General Agents, Pedder's Street, at Noon, on THURSDAY, the 29th March, for the purpose of receiving a Report from the General Agenta with & Statement of Accounts to the 31st December, 1893. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 14th to 29th

\$100 or more to the HONGKONG AND March, both days inclusive. JARDINE MATHESON & Co., Genera Agents. Hongkong, March 5, 1894.

> COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE. THE Twelfth Ordinary Annual MEET-ING of SHAREHULDERS in the Company will be held at the Owner of the General Agents, Pedder's Street, at 12.30 p.m., on THURSDAY, the 29th March. for the purpose of receiving a Report from

> LUZON SUGAR REFINING

the General Agents, with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1893. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 14th to 29th March, both days inclusive. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents.

Hongkong, March 8, 1894.

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED, O.A. Adjustment of Bonus for the Year 1893 CONTRIBUTORS to the above Office are requested to Furnish the Undersigned with a Last of their Contrastutions for the year ending 31st December, 1893, in Order that the DISTRIBUTION of BONUS may be arranged. Returns not

INSTANT, will be adjusted by the Office, and no Claims or Alterations will be subsequently admitted, JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents, OANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED. Hongkong, March 1, 1804

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PRIVATE BOARD and RESIDENCE

Hongkong, July 24, 1893.

May be obtained.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Claims must be sent in to the Undersigned BEFORE NOON ON THE 15TH INSTANT, OR THEY WILL

Hongkong, March 9, 1894, 461

THE Company's S.S. Chelydra having

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. HAMA AND KOBE.

Hongkong, March 3, 1894

Kong & Kowloon Whare & Godows Co.,
Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained.
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Instant, or they will not be recognized.
All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 10th Instant, at 3

WOOD TO-DAY. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co.,

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. ONSIGNEES of Cargo from London ex Steamships Munche and Douro, from Havre ex Steamship Dours, and from

the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables—are being landed and stored at their risk at the Hongrond & Kow TOON WHARP & GODOWN COMPANY'S. at Kowloon, whence delivery may be ob-Intimation is received from the Consignees

Apply to G. O. ANDERSON,

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TUESDAY the 13th Instant, at Noon. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

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FOR SINGAPORE, BAMARANG AND Hongay.

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Hongkong, March 9, 1894. THE CHINA MUTUAL STRAM

Hongkong, March 1, 1894

NTWERP. AMSTERDAM, ROTTER-DAM, LISBON, BPORCO, LONDON, LIVERPOOL AND BRUMEN. above Ports on WHEDA YY MARKING Instant.

Hongkong, March 7, 1894. AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STRAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, Under Mail Contract with the AUSTRIAN GOVERNMENT

laces on or about BHIDAY, the 16th Inst. For Freight or Passage, apply to

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MENT & AGENCY Co., Liv. 18 | Hongkong, March 1, 1893.

Hongkong, January 2, 1891

Hongkong, February 4, 1893 HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

> SHANGHAI BANK, to be pleced on PIXED DEPOSIT at 5 PER CENT. per For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation,

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Hongkong, May 24, 1893. THE MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED AUTHORISED CAPITAL, 21,500,000. Bankers LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK, L'TD.

Interest allowed on Ourrent Accounts at

the Rate of 2 % per Annum on the Daily

ON FIXED DEPOSITS :--

For 3 Months, ..... 3 %

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JUHN THURBURN.

Manager, Hongkong.

HE ppeiness of the above Bank is conducted by the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORA-TION. Rules may be obtained on application, INTEREST on deposits is allowed at 31 PER CENT, per annum. Depositors

mey transfer at their option balances of

Hongkony, May 15, 1893. TT ONG KONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. PROPRIETOES..... \$10,000,000.

T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

On Ourrent Account at the rate of rendered prior to the 31sr bay or MARCH per cent. per annum on the daily balance. ON FIXED DEPOSITS For 3 months & per cent, per sunnu, # 120 cm and 50 are the part of T. JACKSON,

Hongkong, March 1, 1894

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Hongkong-T. Jackson, Esq.

MANAGER :

Shanghai-J. P. WADE GARD'NER, Esq.

LONDON BANKERS-LONDON AND COUNTR

## Entertainments.

HONGKONG CRICKET CLUB. THE ANNUAL LAWN TENNIS TOURNAMENT will be commenced on MONDAY, the 12th March, 1894, consisting of the following Events:-SINGLE HANDICAPS, A and B CLASSES.

DOUBLE HANDICAP. PROPESSIONAL PAIRS. Entry Lists at the CRICKET PAVILION and at the Hongkong Club. Entries close: For Championship, Satur day, the 10th March, 1894; and for other H.E. Vice-Admiral Sir E. FREMANTLE Events, Saturday, the 17th Merch, 1894. Championship round must be completed The Right Rev. J. S. BURDON, D.D.

by Monday, the 26th March, 1894. E. A. RAM, Hon: Secretary.

Hongkong, March 7, 1894. IVING CHESS TOURNAMENT IN AID OF UNION CHURCH ORGAN RESTORATION FUND.

Under the Patronage of H. E. Sir WILLIAM ROBINSON and Lady ROBINSON. H. E. Major-General DIGBY BARKER and Mrs. BARKER Sir Fielding Clarke and Lady Clarke. Commodore Boyes and Mrs. Boyes.

A LIVING CHESS TOURNAMENT. will be held on the TENNIS LAWN AT EAST POINT (Kindly lent by the Hon. J. J. KESWICK) SATURDAY AFTERNOON,

March 31st. By Courtesy of Lt.-Col. ROBERSON an Officers the Band of the Shropshire Light Infantry will be in attendance. Admission \$1.00, Children half price. Tickets may be obtained at Mossra. KELLY and WALSH, Messes Lane, CRAW FORD & Co., and Mesers. W. POWELL & Co. Hongkong, March 5, 1894.

#### Intimations.

CHAS, J. GAUPP & Co., Ohronometer, Watch & Clock Makers Jewellers, Gold & Silversmiths. ATAUTICAL, SCIENTIFIC AND METEOROLOGICAL

INSTRUMENTS. VOIGTLANDER'S CELEBRATED BINOUULARS AND TELESCOPES. RETORIE'S INQUID AND OTHER COMPASSES. ADMIRALTY & IMRAY CHARTS, NAUTICAL BOOKS.

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TAURNISHED ROOMS, with BOARD. Also Table Accommodation MRS. GILLANDERS,

12. GLENEALY BUILDINGS, Wyndham Street. Rongkong, November 21, 1893. 2008

### Not Responsible for Debts.

Crew of the following Vessels, during send in their Bills of Lading for counter-signature by the Undersigned, and to take their stay in Hongkon, Harbour :-ANDERFE, British ship, Captain Jackman.

-Jardine, Matheson & Co. LOTHAIR. Italian barque, Captain J. B. Cafranga, -D. Musso.

## To-day's Advertisements.



RETURN VISIT OF THE ONDON LYRIC COMPANY. Proprietors, F. B. HARDY & SAVILLE SMITH. Manager ... SAVILLE SMILL.

Under the Distinguished Patronage of H. E. Sie WILLIAM ROBINSON, K.O.M.G. TO-NIGHT, (SATURDAY), 10th March.

CHARLEY'S AUNT. Followed by, for the first time in Hongkong, A SHADOW PANTONIME. MONDAY, 12th March. SAME POWERFUL BILL. TUESDAY, 13th March, 'OALLED BACK.'

WEDNESDAY, 14th March, . 'WALKER, LONDUN.' NEW VARIETIES to follow each play. Full Orchestra from the Shropshire Regiment under the Leadership of Bandmaster

MURREY. PRICES AS USUAL. Soldiers and Sailors in uniform Half-price to Back Seats only. Doors open at 8.30. Commencing at 9. A SPECIAL TRAM will run to the Peak after the Portormance. Box Office at Mesera. KELLY & WAISH'S.

EDWIN FERGUSSON. Business Manager. Hongkong, March 10, 1894. OANTON DISTRICT.

LOCAL NOTICE TO MARINERS No. 46.

Blasting in Steamer Passage, Cambridge

Reach Barrier. ATOTICE is hereby given that BLASTING

OPERATIONS are about to be carried 1894, at 3 p.m., the Company's en for a short time in the ateamer (South) Steamship KARLSRUHE, Capt. Kessler, passage of the Cameridge Reach Barrier with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIAL in the Whampon Channel of the Canton and CARGO, will leave this port as above, Pfall, Hamburg and Singapore March 3. Whenever it may be usee seary to close

the passage to navigation a red flag Noon, on Saronday, the 31st March, will be housted on a pole at the North Cargo and Specie will be received on side of the passage and another at the board until Noon on Monday, the 2nd masthead of the flagstaff at the Customs April, and Parcels will be received at the Signal Station on the hill on Dane's Island. So long as these red flags remain flying, the 1st April. Contents of Packages are ressels bound to Whampon must not ap. required. No Parcel Receipts will be and those bound to Canton must proceed not exceed Two Feet Cubic in measureby the Blenheim (or Back) Reach.

J. H. MAY, Harbour Master.

E. B. DREW. Commissioner of Customs. Onstom House. Canton, March 9th 1894.

# To-day's Advertisements. To-day's Advertisements.

THE ANNUAL ATRLETIC SPORTS HONGKONG SOHOOLS will be held at THE HAPPY VALLEY, ON MONDAY, 12th March Commencing at 1.30 p.m.

Under the Patronage of Sir WM. ROBINSON, K.O.M.G. H.E. Maj. General G. DIGBY BARKER C.B., K.C.M.G.

26 EVENTS, OVER 50 PRIZES. OVER 500 ENTRIES. Programmes at the Meeting.

WILLIAM BLAYNAY. Hon. Secretary. Sr. PAUL'S COLLEGE. March 10th, 1894.



CORPS ORDERS FOR THE WEE ENDING 17TH MARCH, 1894.

No 67. - GENERAL. - There will be RECRUIT DRILL, Squad, Carbine, 7-pr., and Maxim Gun, every morning at 6.45, and Squad, Carbine, and 64-pr., on MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, at 9 4 p.m. p.m. All Members who have not attended regularly should take advantage of these Drills. No uniform. Two Instructors will attend the morning and one the evening drills, above ordered.

No. 68 .- FIELD BATTERY, -For duty, Liout, Charman and Sergeant Coyle. PARADES-TUESDAY, 9 p.m., 7-pr. Gun Drill. THUBSDAY, 5. 30 p.m., FIR-ING EXERCISES by Divisions. Divisional Officers to be present. FRI-DAY, 9 p m., Company Drill. Uniform -On THURSDAY, Serge and Forage Caps; on Tuesday and Friday, no uniform. No. 69. - MACHINE GUN COMPANY. -PARADES-MONDAY, Squad Deill, 6.15 p.m. TUESDAY, Company Drill, 5.30 p.m. (Uniform with Potage Caps). THURSDAY, 6.15 p.m., Squad and Carbine Drill. FRID Y, 5.80 p.m., Musketry 5 p.m. (Aiming Deill). SATURDAY, 2 p.m., Musketry, Annual Course. Uniform with

Helmets. F. JERRARD. Acting Commandant H.K. V. Corps. Hongkong, March 10, 1894.



PERSEVERANCE LODGE OF HONGKONG, No. 1,165.

Regular MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in the FREE-HALL, Zetland Street, on FRIDAY, the 16th Iustant, at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely. VISITING BRETHERN are cordially INVITED. Hongkong, March 10, 1894.

FROM HAMBURG, PENANG AND

SINGAPORE. Veither the Captain, the Agents, not THE &S. Niche, Cantain E. G. Praff. Owners will be Responsible for I having arrived from the above Ports. any Debt contracted by the Officers or Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to immediate delivery of their Goods from

Any Cargo impeding her discharge will German Mail about the loth Instant, will be landed into the Gudowss of the Hong- leave for the above place about 24 hours KONG & KOWLOON WHARF & GODOWN Co., LD., and stored at Consigness' risk and expense. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 17th Inst. will be subject to rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 17th Inst., at 4 p.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected, STEMSSEN & Co...

Hongkong, March 10, 1894.

FOR KOBE VIA AMOY. The Co.'s Steamer Hiogo Maru,
Captain Barsrow, will be
despatched as above on MONDAY, the 12th Instant, at 2 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA Hongkong, March 10, 1894. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTICE. STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID,

NAPLES, GENOA, ANTWERP, BREMEN & HAMBURG PORTS IN THE LEVANT, BLACK SEA & BALTIO PORTS:

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PORTS. THE COMPANY'S STRAMERS WILL CALL AT SOUTHAMPTON TO LAND PASSERGRES AND LUGGIGE.

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ON MONDAY, the 2nd day of April 1894, at 3 p.m., the Company's calling at NAPLES and GENOA. Shipping Orders will be granted till Agency's Office) until Noon on SUNDAY. signed at less than \$2, and Parcels should

The Steamer has splendid Accommodation and carries a Doctor and Stewardess. Linen can be washed on board. For further Particulars, apply to

MELOHERS & Co. Agente. Hongkong, March 10, 1894.

Dutination DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

LIMITED. FOR AMOY AND TAMEUL The Co.'s Steamship Captain Hall, will be despatched for the above Ports on MONDAY, the 12th Instant, at

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. General Managers. Hongkong, March 10, 1894 DOUGLAS STRAMSHIP COMPANY. LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAIWANFOO. The Co.'s Steamship Capt. Barnonar, will be despatched for the above Ports on TUESDAY, the 13th Instant, at

For Freight or Passage; apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, March 10, 1894.

FOR YOKOHAMA AND KOBE. The Steamship despatched for the above

Ports on TUESDAY, the 13th Instant, at | Donwell, CARLILL & Co. This Steamer has superior Accommodation for First and Second C. is Passengers carries a Doctor and a Stewardess. For Freight or Passage, apply to

SIEMSSEN & Co., Agenta. Honghous, March 10, 1894 INDO-OHINA STEAM NAVIGATION

COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR MANIGA (DIRECT). The Co. a Steamship Ystensano.

Captain Wadditovs, will Kwang Lee, for Shang be despatched as above Pokien, for Swatow. on WEDNESDAY, the 14th Instant, at Duteres, for Chefoo. This Steamer has superior First-class Passenger Accommodation.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers: Hongkong, March 10, 1894.

NOTICE. STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, KOBE ANI NAGASAKI. (Passing through the INLAND SEA). The Co.'s Steamahip

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

Nuraberg, Captain H. Walter, will leave for the above Ports | nese. on or about FRIDAY, the 16th March. For further Particulars, apply to-MELCHERS & Co.. Agents.

Hongkong, March 10, 1894. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTICE. STEAM TO SHANGHAI. Karleruhe.

The Co.'s Steamship Captain Kesster, due

after arrival. --For further Particulars, apply to. MELCHERS & Co..

Hongkong, March 10, 1894. Dr. FENWICK'S FOOD

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March 9:-Martha Danis, American barque, 832, A. L. Soule, Honolulu February 4, Ballast,-SHEWAR & Co. Iser, British steamer, 1,415, Burgoyne, Moji March 4, Coal -LEE KING. Niobe, German ateamer, 3.500. E.

ARRIVAL

General Stremmen & Co. March 10 :-Kwang Lie, Chinese atr., from Canton. Chousang, British steamer, from Canton. Kweilin, British steamer, from Canton. Activ, Danish steamer, 355, H. Hygom, Pakhot March 7, and Holliow 9 General ARENOLD, KARBING & Co. Formoso, British steamer, 680, T. Hall, Tamen March 6, Amoy 7, and Swatow 9,

General -- Douglas STRANSHIP Co. Hiogo Mora, Japapene steamer, 881, E. S. Bare ow, Manile March 7, General. NIPPON XUEER KAIRHA. Nanchang British steamer, 1,089 E. Finlayson, Swatow March 9, Ballast. -- BUTTER- Vessels Advertised as Loading.

Vessels. Date of Leaving Douglas Lapraik & Co. March 12, at noon Amoy and Tamaui..... Formous (s)..... Norddeutscher Lloyd. April 2, at 3 p.m. Bromen & Ports of Call Karlaruho (s)..... Japan Anoona (a). P. & O. S. N. Co. ... March 18, at noon. Nippon Yusen Kaisha. March 12, at 2 p.m. Arnhold, Karberg & Co. About March 15. Kobervin Amoy ...... Hiogo Matu (a)..... London, v. Ports of Call Kaisow (a). London & Ports of Call Ravenna (s) P. & O. S. N. Co.... Merch 15, at noon. P. & O. S. N. Convert About March 12. London, r. Marsoillea Shanghai (a). P. & O. S. N. Co .... About March 19. London, y. Marseilles, Formosa (s)..... Shewan & Co..... About March 26. Manila Yuonsang (s) P. & O. S. N. Co.... About Merch 29. Jardine, Matheson & Co March 14, at 5 p.m. Marserlle v. Saigo Sydney (a)..... Messageries Maritimes March 21; at noon. Dodwell, Carlill & Co. March 14 Now York, v. SuezOena Argyll (a)....... O. & O. S. S. Comme March 15, daylight. Pacific Mail S. S. Co March 24, daylight. 8. Prancisco, v Japa: Belgio (species S. Francisco, v. Japa Peru (a)..... Siemsen & Continue March 12, at 4 p.m. P. & O. S. N. Co ... About March 12. Norddeutscher Lleyd Quick despatch. P. & O. S. N. Co .... About Murch 14. Shanghai and Kobe .... 1 den (s). Shanghai and Kobs ... Maria Valeria (a)... Sander & Co..... About March 16. Siemason & Co...... March 16, at 4 p.m. Jardine, Matheson & Co March 13, at noon. S'pore, Havre & H'burg Lawang (a) pore. Penang & O'tt Chelyara (a) ...... Yokohama and Kobé. Niobe (s) ...... . Siemssen & Co..... March 13, at 4 p. 12.

Y'hams, Kobe & N'saki Ntraberg (s)........... Norddeutscher Lloyd. About March 16., Shanghai, British steamer, 2,044, E. Street, Shanghai March 6, General.-P. MATLS will close:-For SINGAPORE .-Toyo Maru, Japanese steamer, 1,552, G. Edwards, Saigon March 6, Grain .-

TACOMA. DEPARTURES. March 10 :the 20th inst. Holstein, for Saigon.

Glucksburg, for for Saigon. Rio; for Amoy. Receilin, for Taiwanfoo. Marquis Bacquehem, for Hingapore. Menmuir, for Port Datwin and Sydney. Gualior, for Kobe. Nanchang, for Canton.

CLEARED. Afihanistan, for Bangkok. Honokong, for Hoihow. Kwang Lee, for Shanghai.

Choysing, for Swatow. PASSENGERS. ARRIVED. Per Martha Davis, from Honolulu, Mr. Clarence Clowe. Per Iser, from Moji, 6 Chinese.

Per Niebe, from Singapore, Messrs Kruse, and B. Rathjee, and 460 Chinese. Per Formosa, from Coast Ports, Mr Wenyon, and 137 Chinese Per Hiogo More, from Manile : for Foochow, Mr. and Mrs Brand, Miss Galton and Mr Sargent; for Japan, Miss Mortina, Dr. Martinez, Mr Nakawuka, and I Japanase ; for Hongkong, 4 Portuguese, 5 Japa-

nese, and 31 Chinese. Per Nanchang, from Swatow, 13 Chinese ·Per Shanghui from Shanghai, 1,068 Chi-Por Toyo Maru, from Saigon, Mrs and Miss Rours, and 50 Chinese.

DEPARTED. Per Holstein, for Saigon, 200 Chinese. Per Glucksburg, for Saigon, 100 Chinese. Per Marquis Bacquehem, for Singapore, 384 Ohinmui · Per Menmuir, for Sydney, 3 Europeans. and 15 Chinese

To DEPART. Per Hongkong, for Hoihow, 12 Chinese. Per Fokien, for Swatow, 150 Chinese. Per Ch ysaug, for Swatow, 2 Europeans, and 150 Chinege.

SHIPPING REPORTS. The American barque Mertha Laute roports: Fresh winds and fine weather to MrJ. do Rego Barros Miss Oothout Bashee Channel, twenty seven days out; Capt. Burr. R.N. Miss Helen Oothout

474 thence to port, light airs and colms. The British ate mer Iser reports : Had | Miss Champey moderate N.W. wind to Turnabout Island; fog and Northerly winds to Breaker Point; fresh N.W. wind thence to arrivel. The British steamer Formess reports: Mr and Mrs Dickson Mr and Mrs Pearce From Tamsuz to Amoy, moderate breeze, Mr W. A. Doff and fine weather. From Amoy to Swatow, Mr.A. J. Esston light N. W'ly breeze and overcast aky. Mr.O. Evelyn From Swatow to Hongkong, moderate Mrs Ezra and son

N. W'ly to N. E'ly breeze, with overcast sky Mr. G. Fenwick and occasional rain. Steamer in Tameni, Hon. and Mra FosterMr W. Rentsch Cass. Steamer in Amoy, Namyong. Stra. Mr A Frei in Swatow, Chefoo, Vanchang. Thales, Kong Mr W. N. HallgartenMr and Mrs. T. Beng, Yiksang, Whampoa, Taiwan and ship Mr M. Jones The Japanese steamer Hiogo Maru re- Capt. Kirby, B.N. ports: Had fine clear weather, light winds Mr J. Kirkwood and smooth sea from Manila to 100 miles Dr. J. J. Kirkbride dart

South of Hongkong; thence strong N.E. Mr. Mr. Henry KitteMf J. Tatner winds, high sea and rain; very pold. The British steamer Nanchang reports : Had North-Westerly wind and drizzling Mr R. Lyall

orts : Had moderate breeze and clear Mr T. Mitchell weather ; till the 8th and 9th March, strong Mr. T. Morony breeze to moderate gale ; till arrival, wind Mr & Mrs Morel andMr N. Woog Northerly.

POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close:-For SAIGON. Per Macduff, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the

11th inst., instead of as previously notified. For HOIHOW & HAIPHONG .--Per Bongkong, at 9 s.m., on Sunday, Brown the 11th inst. For AMOY & TAMSUL -

Par Formora, at 11.30 s.m., on Monday the 12th inst. For SHANGHAL -Par Nanyang, at 3.30 p.m., on Monday the 12th inst. For CHEFOO & NEWCHWANG

For S'NGAPORE, PENANG & CAL- MIN Brian CUTTA -Por Cholydra, at 11.30 a.m., on Tuesday, Capt. van Carback Mr and Mre Mallett the 13th inst. FOR SWATOW & BANGKOK. -

For SWATOW, AMOY & TAIWANEOO, Per Tholes, at 11,30 a.m., on Tuesday, Mr J. F. Rast. the 13 h inst. FOR YOKOHAMA & KOHE .-Par Nicote, at 3 30 p.m., on Tuesday,

FOR AVOY & MANILA. Per Furniany, at 4.30 p.m., on Wodops | Mr D. Harding Mr F. B. Hardy For SINGAPORE, SAMARANG & SOU. RABAYA Por Hongay, at 3.30 p.m., on Thursday, Mr and Mrs. Geo.Mr J. C. Murray

POST OFFICE NOTICES. Per Lawang, at 3.30 p.m., on Friday, the

For KOBE, YOKOHAMA, VICTORIA & Per Mogul, at 11.30 a.m., on Tuesday, MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET -The United States Mail Packet Belgie will

be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 14th March, with Mails for Japan, San Francisco, the United States, Canada, Honolulu, Peru, &c., which will be closed as follows !-4.45 P.M. Registry ceases. 5.00 P.M. Post Office closes, but Corres pondence may be posted on board the

Postage until the time of departure. MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET. The British Contract Packet Ravenna wi be despatched on THURSDAY, the 15th Instant, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and countries beyoud, vid Brindisi; to the Strait

Settlements, Netherlands India, Burmah, Ceylon, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c.

HOURS OF CLOSING THE ENGLISH AND FRENCH MAILS. When the Packets leave at Noon. The following hours will be observed in closing the Mails for Europe, &c., by the Euglish and French Packets, when they leave at Nuon. The Money Order Office A.

will be closed at 5 the day before. 8.00 A.M. -Posting of Prices Current and Circulars coases. (Prices Current and Circulars may however be posted up to 10 o'clock if they are tied in bundles, country by country, with the addresses all

10.00 A.M.—Registry ceases. Books, and Patterns ceases 11.00 a.M. -- Mail closes. Per Kwang Lee, for Shanghai, 283 Chi- LATE LETTERS may be posted (from

II. 10 1.M.) with 10 cents late fee up to 11.30 a.m., after which hour they may be sent on Board with the same Late VISITORS AT HOTELS.

HONGKONG HOTEL -Min Emily Oc hoht Mr J. L. Orr Dr. J. R. Putnam Misses Orr Mr J. Osborne Oramer Mr. W. Parfith

Mr. F. B. Deacon Mr O. V. A. Poel Mr and Mrs F. vonder Plordten and 2 chil

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Mrs W. Oothout MOUNT AUETIN HOTEL. Mr and Mrs JohnMrs Fawkes & maid Andrew and child Miss Hogg Mr S. S. Benjamin Miss O. G. Hogy Mr. H. E. Boxshall Mr and Mrs H. Hum-Mr and Mrs D. E. phreys & 3 children Mr Chantrey Inchbald Mr C. Malsch Mr Hart Buck Mr R. H. R. BurderMr H. F. Meyerink Dr and Mrs Cantlie Mrs Van Nierop Mr and Mrs C. C.Mr & Mrs H. W. Paul

Mrs Posts Mr J. B. Coughtrie Mr James Rankin Uaptain Fawkes B. N.Mr C. S. Taylor THE RESERVE OF STREET VICTORIA HOTEL. Per Amoy, at 4,30 p.m., on Monday, the Mr G. C. Bowman Miss Hargreaves Mr E. Huneche Mr. Laevekobi Mr Geogo Caulton Mr Thus Meek

Mr and Mrs Robt, Mr F. Millar Per Decausings, at 8.30 a.m., on Tuesday, Dixon and family. Mr and Mrs Runn the 13th inst. Mr A. Pétrez Mr C. H. Dudd Mr. G. Sewell Mr Durant Mr D. C. Smith Mr J. 8. Smith Mrs Farmer Miss Tauseli Mr E. Taynobend Mr Fearly Mr E. Pergusson Miss Trigge Mr Vallance Mr John Foremane Miss Gregor Mr Verner Mrs Ward

Mr J. Chaudef Capt, and Mrs Moore The Hongicong Dispensary, Timbers Mr. A. K. Skeels For NAGASAKI, ROBE & YOROHAMA. Capt. and Mrs. Hunt Mr. A. Findley Smith Per decond at 11.30 a.m. on Friday, Mr MacLean Mr Stokes the 16th instr

MEMOS, FOR TO-MUKKUW. Shipping. Daylight. - Fokien leaves for Swatow.

MEMOS, FOR MONDAY. Shipping. Noon. - Formose leaves for Amoy . &co. 2 p.m. - Hiogo More leaves for Kobe, &c. 4 p.m. - Nanyang leaves for Shanghai.

Amusements. 1:30 p.m. - Athletic Sports of the Hong . kong Schools at the Happy Valley. Lawn Tonnis Tournament of the H.K. Cricket Club. 9 p.m. - Performance at the City Hall.

Miscellaneous. Goods per Pakling undelivered after this date subject to rent.

General Memoranda. TUESDAY, Merch 13:-

9 p.m. Performance at the City Hall. WEDNESDAY, March 14:-Noon.—Auction of Sundries at. H. M. Naval Yard. Transfer Books of The China Sugar Refining Co., Ltd., closed from this date to 29th March, inclusive. Transfer Books of The Luzon Sugar

Refining Co., Ltd., closed from this date to 29th March, inclusive. Exchange, Boxesone March 10, 1894. On London-Bank, Wire, On demand. 30 days sigut, 4 months sight, Documentary & months sight. On Paris-On demand Oredits, 4 months' sight, On Berlin-Demand On New York On demand, Oredits, 60 days' sight, On Bombay ... -Packet, with Late Fee of 10 cents extra Wire, On Calcutta Wirds and bearing the On Shanghai-On domand, ... 721 30 days' sight, private paper Gold Leaf, 100 fine (per tael) 652.00 Sovereigns (Bank's buying rate) Bilver (per os.)

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Hongkong, January 26, 1894.

ExpoBIRTHe and in tracetro At Edderton, Mount Kellett, on the 10th Instant, the wife of Arex. Ross of a Son.

RELIBIOUS BERVICES AND CON JOHN'S CATHEDRAL PARISO Bereios al 8.80 a.w. (Holy Communion 2nd and 4th Sundays.) Matins at 11. Holy Communion at the 11 o'clock service on the 1st. 3rd. and 5th Sundays in the month. Evensong at 5,46, Union Church, Kennedy Road.—Minister Rev. G. H. Bondfield.—Services at 11.00 A.M. and 6 P.M. ROYAN CAPROLIC CATHERELL ... On Bunday

Mass at 6 a.w., 7.80 a.w. and 9.50 a.w. Besedietion at 5 P.M. Sr. Joseph's Church, Garden Ross -- 9. a.m. Mass and Sermon : 5.30 P.w. Evening Service. Benediction Sr. Pater's Seamen's Council, Sailors Home.—Service on Sunday, at 11 a.m. and 6.80 s.m. The Holy Communion is administered on the 1st and 3rd Sundays in the mouth at 11 a.w.: on the 2nd and 5th at 7.80 a.w.; and on the 4th, at the Evening Service. WESLEYAN METHODIST CHURCH.-Diving Secvice at 10.8. A. M. in the Wesleyan Church GERRAY BETEREDA CHAPPE .... Service in the

schalk every Sunday, at 11 a.m., in the Chapel of the Berlin Foundling House, West Point. The publication of the same commenced

German language by Paster R. F. Gott-

BONGEONG, SATURDAY, MARCH 10, 1894

TELEGRAMS. SUPPLIED TO THE CHINA MATE! (Vis Southern Line.)

LoxDon, March 8, 1894. Lord Tweedmouth has been appointed to the Privy Soal, with a seat in the Cabinet. PARNELLITE MANIFESTO.

The Parnellites have issued a manifesto which declares that Mr Gladstone's resignation was the outcome of a school to abelve Home Rule, and that their party has no confidence in the Earl of Rosebery.

PASSED SUES CAMAL

Kintuck, 27 : Melbourne, Storitor, Plint. shire. March 2. the P. & O. s. a. Robilla, with the Eng-LISH MAIL of Feb. 9, left Singspore on Monday, March 5, at 6 p.m., and may be expected here on or about Sunday, March 11, at 4 p.m. This packet brings replice to letters de-

Matt. of February 17, left Yokohama on Thursday, March 8, at noon, and may be expected here on or about Tuesday, sixton 13. The N. L. Co. a. s. Kaskruhe, with the GREMAN MAIL of Feb. 15, test Singapore on Saturday, March 10, at 10

left San Francisco for this port, via Honolulu and Yokohama, on Feb. 27.0 The N. P. s. s. Pictoria left Tacoms, Wash., for Japan and Hongkong on Feb. 23.

The P. & O. s. s. Adm left Singapore for this port on March 6, and may be expected here on or about March 13. pected here on or about March 14.

The Austrian Lloyd's a. s. Maria Valeria left Singapore for this port on March D. and may be expected here on or about The s.e. Lightning, from Calentta, &c., left Singapore on Merch 9, and may be expacted here on or about March 16. The China Mintual & a. Moyune, from Glasgow and Liverpool, left Singapore on

CATHEDRAL -- OTH SUNDAY IN LEST. Matina :-- Venite, Elysy; Paalms, Turle, Maclarren & Gregory; To Denm, Woodward, &co.; Benedictus, Havergal; Anthem. The way is long and dreary Hymn, 269; Offertory, Hymn 96 (2nd Evensong -- Pasima, Turie, Turion &

UNION GRUECH .- SUNDAY, MARCH II. 11 AM Hymos, 224, 50, 172; Paalm, 148; An. them, 26. WESLEYAN METHODIST CHURCH. WANCEAL.

THE P. M. a. s. City of Rio de Janeiro, with mails, &c., left San Francisco for this post. via Yokohama, wn the 8th instant.

gapore for this post yesperday, at moon. The annual athletic sports of the Hongkoog Schools take place at the Happy

Valley on Monday next, 12th lest, commenoing at 1.30 p.m. Mr W. Blayney, the Hon. Secretary, but been working most energetically to briting about successful sports, and as fully 500 antries have hape obtained for the twenty-wix events on the programme some exciting contests may be

at 6.45 p.m. The China Mail.

LORD PRIVY SEAL.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

OUTWARD BOUND :- Queen Adelaide, Oscar, II, Jan. 16; Urea, 26; Bothwell Castle, Beb. 2 : Isleworth, 6 : Windsor, 9; Obi, 13; Cam, Rutherglen, 16; Cardigenshire, Cyclope, Dryfasdale, Karlsruhe, 20; Strathdee, Gerda, 23; Salasie, Polyphemus, 27; Glenearn, Ghave, Strathlesen, Vindebona, March 2; Ningchow, 7 HOMEWARD BOUND :- Ocampo, Jan. 30 Lounce, Feb. 6; Carrier 13 Telemachus, 16; Manila, 20; Bombay, Gissla, 23; Palinurus, Preussen, Frigga,

apatched from Hongkong on Jan. 4.
The P. M. s. s. Pers, with the American

a.m., and may be expected here on or about Toursday, March 15. The O. & O. s. a. Oceanio, with mails, did.

The C. P. R. s. s. Empress of Chine left-Vancouver for Hongkong on Monday; March 5. The P. M. s. e. City of Rio de Joneiro, with mails, &c., left Ban Francisco for this port, via Yokohama, on March 3.

The O. S. S. Co.'s steamship Titan left Singapore on March 7, and may be ex-The Glen Line steamship Glenceon, from London and Straits, left Singapore on March 8, and may be expected here on or about March 15.

March 10, and may be expected here on or about March 16. DEB OF CHORAL SERVICE AT ST. JOHN'S

Turle ; Magnificat, Battishill ; Nupo Dimittis, Anon; Hymne, 257 &

BUNDAY, MARCH 11TH. 10:30 a.m. - Hymni, 958, 497, 457, 355. 6 p.m. - Hymns, 400, 368, 221, 357 Paulos, LVI-LVII

THE R. Lightning, from Calcutta, left Sin-

101 looked for. Over lifty prizes are offered.

Twens will be a Celebration of Holy Communion at the Peak Church to-morrow at

The German Mail steamer Karlershe, with the German mail, dated Berlin Bob. 12, left Singspore at 10 a.m. to-day for this port. Twe China Mutual a s. Moyune, from Glasgow and Liverpool, left Singapore for this

port this morning. To-monatow morning, between 9 and 10.30 o'clock, the steam launch Dayspring, carrying the Bethel flag, will call alongside any vessel hoisting code pennant C., to convey

men sahore to 11 a.m. service at St. Peter's

(Seamon's) Church, returning about 12.30. Tax steamer Tantalus was to go into the Commopolitan Dock this afternoon, after being lightened by the discharge of a considerable portion of her cargo. The tug Piles Bish is to be abandoned, but an effort will be made by the Dook Company

to save a portion of bar fittings.

Twe London Lyrio Company last night gave a performance of the four-act drama entitled Jo, which is founded on Dickens well-known novel; Black House, Tt was an abrupt departure from the line on which the company had proviously run into popular favour, 'Jo,' being rather a lugubrious piece and somewhat unintelligible to anyone who does not possess a clear recollection of the story or Dickens wrote it The drame, however, was very wel performed, and the large sudience followed it with the closest attention and bestowed applause liberally on the principals. If any evidence were required as to Miss Marie Brian's cleverness and versatility, it would only be necessary to say that she can exhilarate an audience with "Tara-ra-Boom-de-sy and touch their tenderest feelings in 'Jo.' Her impersonation of 'Jo' would have been much more successful than it was but for the fact that it is difficult to hear anything from the stage of the theatre under a shout. All the parts were played in that thoroughly conscientious and harmonious way which is characteristic of the London Lyric Company. Mr D. C. Smith sang a couple of comic songs after the play had been brought to a conclusion, and he had some difficulty in getting off without having to sing a third song. The programme concluded with the graceful castanet dance by Misses Tasselli and Trigge-Judging by the booking, the Theatre Royal will be crowded to excess this evening, when 'Charley's Aunt' will be performed The piece will be repeated on Monday

Grantan student, wrestling with the Ehglish language, is said to have rendered a text as follows: 'The ghost is willing, but the meat is feeble.

Tan Prince of Wales has been appointed a la mile of the 1st Regiment of German Drazoon Guards, known as the Queen o Great Britain and Ireland's Regiment.

TABLET has been placed in Harrow School Chapsi to the memory of Captain John Dunn, of the 8th King's Regiment, who was for some years at Harrow School The tablet consists of a brass on a black marble mount, supported on either side by figures of an officer and a private of the regiment, with the regimental badge and proseed swords above, and is engraved with the following inscription:- In loving memory of John Dunn, Captain the King's Regiment, who was drowned in the Bokhara, 10th Oct., 1892, aged 80. This tablet is erected by his brother officers.'

Two Paris correspondent of the Times writes :- 'It was asserted not long ago that 80.000 Parisians now profess Huddhism. The statement was attributed to a wellknown French professor, who emphatically denied that he had ever made it. Certain it is, however, that a large number of wellknown ledies in Paris now describe themselves as Eclectic Buddhists, and that their number continues to increase. A little volume, which gives a summary of the doctrines of the new creed, has just been bought by wealthy neophytes to be distributed grainitously next week among persons of all classes in Paris. It appears that converts are not expected to desert the churches of which they are members. certain number of copies of the book have been bound in black morocco and gilded so as to resemble the prayer-books used in the Roman Catholic Churches. The converte will make use of these little books for edification during the hours of service."

THE immortal memory of Robert Burns was celebrated on Jan. 25 by the Caledonian Boolety of London, when the Whitehall banqueting-room at the Hotel Metropole was crowded with honest men and bonnie lasses. The society has now held fifty-six annual dinners, and seek gathering is said to have been more successful than its predecessor. Certain it is that nothing could possibly have been more brilliant and more enjoyable than was the present festival. There was a brightness and go' about the proceedings, which not even the agonised grounings of the baguines (that is, of course, from an English point of yiew) could destroy. That strange and mysterious composition, haggis, received munical honours (that is, of course, from a Sector point of view), and was partaken of with keen enjoyment by those from benorth the Tweed. The English visitors handled it as though it might be dynamite; but fortunately all ill effects were corrected by a liqueur of very strong Scotch whisky. After the dinner came speeches, many and long. The provident, Mr. Alexander Ritchie, gave the toest of Soutland's loved post in interesting style, while Mr. David Hephum proposed The Ladies in language which caused many an eye to brighten and many a check to blush. When the flow of orstory had coased, dancing was carried on with a rigour, truly exbilarating and truly Scotch; and so ended

To Come Sain Dissaus Sulpholing Letion quickly drives away Eruptions, Pimples, Blatches, Radness, Rosens, Acres, Disfigurements, Roughness and Scari, &c., leaving a clear, appl-ions like and beautiful Complexion. Sulphelias is an essentially due the Thin; especially in hot climates. Made in Landon. Bold everywhere

in Shifting Bettles.

TRAGRANT WATERS! MURMUR That movements in the Colonial Service staff appear to be unusually numerous just now, and the temptation to draw half-pay at 4/- may have something to do

with them. That the Chief Justice, the Attorney General, the Clork of Councils, the Chief Clerk at the Magistracy, and others are about to go Home, and the Colonial Secretary is spoken of as most anxious to get away from this dollarstricken Colony.

That the heart of the official community is stirred by the renewed proposal of being paid, half of its salary at 3/ per dollar. That the privilege of drawing pay or halfpay at 1 ome at 4/ or 4/2 is to be withdrawn, the new Home rate being 3/., so that neveral of the officials do not regard the chauces of the game as quite even.

That in the event of the presumed rise in the dollar being about as rapid as its decline, where (they sait) is the advantage of this semi-gambling deal on the part of the Government?

That the consideration of this question from a rate-paying point of view, would have been greatly facilitated if the report of an independent Retrenchment Commission had been ready and placed before the public as it might have been ere this

That Governor Robinson made a serious blunder when he threw cold water upor the idea of an independent Commission, and it would be only a fair reprisal were the Unofficial Mambers of Council to decline to countenance any change in Commission be made known, and its recommeditions duly considered.

That the sbolition of certain offices, the amalgamation of others, and the reduction in the staff of certain departments, yould help the Government to arrive at a conclusion about salaries, and these

Straits appear to have shown that they Jordan, H. E. R. Hunter, and R. do these things better there than here. that, as an instance, the present time would have been opportune to do away with the Treasury staff altogether, and to have inaugurated another equally safe but less

That I am afraid the drifting policy adopt-

wrong direction?

Unofficial Members.

glad to obtain information. taining allowance.

had a hand in the small sumpus and

reference to the Secretary of State. for his action by some \$1200.

down for such cases in the future.

That Captain May has clearly enough given sions, agency balances, do, de outstand- the Indian mints, but such action now Parker; Inspector Quincey; G. J. W. his mind to his duties, and if he has not ing on the 31st December, \$191,873.63 might be even more disastrous to India succeeded as yet in doing all he proposes of this sum represents the amount stand. than was the suspension of coinage in to do, he shows that he is determined to ing in our books at the debit of the Lon- June last. The effects of such opening make his Force a useful body of men. . den account taken at 2/- the rate at which would probably be to cause a further decline That perhaps the oriminal statistics vary the account was adjusted. It does not in Indian sterling exchange but it would to whether the Police are unusually vigilent occur to me that there are any other points some extent raise the price of silver and

That one of the great defects of our Police | spite of the extremely low rates of pre- the imposition of a five per nent, duty on

good results may confidently be looked | pleased to snawer any questions any manner attempted without disastrous coase-That in a case of alleged forgery a outlons No questions were saked, and the Chair- marks, gentlemen, I now beg to move that? R. Ezekiel, b Firth

That the Water Postival of Saturday lasts dividend warrants will be ready on Monalthough not an unqualified success, show! day. I beg to express my thanks for your ed how beautiful; and effective a soone ean be produced in this branch of illuminating but, given ample time for organisation and mobilization.

That the nomination of a Water Procession may not be a recommendation to the Chinese but Maropeans can look upon the illuminated boats and thank the nowers for its restfulness and quiet: That the Fastival augusts the name of Mr. Wodehouse, who deserves oredit for what he did for the bublic entertain-That the Fire Brigade Superintendent became the medium the other day of doing

a graceful thing in honour of three de-That, if I remember eightly, T mentioned Sergeant. Witchell's brave work at the fire in Queen's Road and the Bergeant and his two companion hromen weil doserved the official recognition they have

That Mr Wodehouse, as he says, bie an Englishman, and he appears to be ready to admit the existence of other acctions of the Empire.

way of duty, the Superintendent would have done well to have fallen back upon the maful term Britisher. Gourlay, and Barron are English; to which they belong.

BROWNIE

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE CO. LIMITED.

The annual meeting of shareholders in this Company was held in the offices of Mesers Jardine, Matheson and Co. (General Managers) this afternoon. The Hon. salaries until the opinion of such a J. J. Keswick presided. Amongst those present were—the Hon. C. P. Chater, Masara J. S. Moses, C. J. Holliday, S. G. Bird (Members of Consulting Committee). G. T. Veitch; (Secretary), J. D. Humphreys, C. A. Ozorio, H. Humphreys, Ho changes should precede any further ad- Fook, J. M. E. Machado, W. Pearce, V. H. Deacon, J. M. G. Pereira, B. By That the Governments of India and the ramjes, A. G. Stokes, G. O. Cox.

The Secretary read the notice calling the The Chairman said-Gentlemen. report and statement of accounts having been in your hands for several days I will through the Bank or by a Collector of with your permission, take them as read. It is a matter of regret to the Countiting Committee and the General Managers, as calculated to serve the best interests of that it is not possible to present at this meeting a better report and account of the That I concur and I agree may make past year's operations. Not only is the the wheels go smoothly enough as a rule, dividend smoller by \$1.50, but the fall in but what if the machine be going in the exchange which affects every business has obliged us to trench upon the Reserve That, to all appearance, the official element | Fund to the extent of \$60,000 in order to has practically abandoned its guns, and make our remittances to London to meet the only life or vigour remaining is to be losses incurred in the United Kingdom infused into the administration by the You will perceive that but for the collapse in the value of the dollar the aspect of the That Mr Whitehead has placed his finger account would be less uptatisfactory then it upon a goodly number of things about now appears. Fortunately the Reserve which the ratepayers will be exceedingly Fund can well bear this call upon and still remains at the substantial figure That some weeks ago I referred to a small of one million dellars. As you are aware storm in a teacop about a certain enter- | the Company has for some years been, underwriting in the United Kingdom, In That I now hear the Colonial Treasurer spite, however, of the greatest care exerthat he took a rather sensible view of the proved a success, and although I think that by the Indian Government—the effort to at the present time prospects in that raise the value of the rupes artificially to 1s holders are so strongly in favour of con-That it would be interesting reading were fining our business to the East, the Con- token currency, that they would bring a the arguments for and against Mr sulting Committee and General Managers O'Brieu's claim to see the light, and it have decided to give affect to their winnes. would be still more entertaining to per- still may state negociations are now pend- The gift of ordinary prescience is ap- Ts'ing, 3rd prize, Handkerchief; Ho Wan the V.R.C., also from the Hongkong Club use the Governor's covering letter which | ing for the transfer of our business in Great presumably showed how much nicer the Britain to another Company as speedily as money would look in Sir William's pocket the interests of this Company will admit of, flow of money and trade between various than in that of the 'Member for Cork,' Our losses in 1893 considerably exceeded That I have heard it's an ill wind that | those during 1892; this cannot be accribed blows nobody good, but it is whispered to any specially heavy loss at any one place, (with what truth I cannot say) that none but to the fact that at nearly all our agen- to the indebtedness of India to pay the Leung Yuk, lat prize, Pine for hair; would seek to place before your readers. of the claimants were the richer for this cies losses in excess of the average of increased exchange on its sterling commit- Cheung Sau Ying 2nd prize, Earrings; Lin previous years have been sustained; ments. All this tells very heavily on the That it may be Mr Mitchell Innes can take although in Hongkong we have not suf- trade between Ludia and China, which Yu to'd, 4th prize, Handkerchief. a little credit for his part in the affair, fered so much as usual, notwithstanding shows a very considerable fulling off in recent because the Treasury is said to be richer | that fires were more numerous then for | months; but with this exception merchants some time previous. We have contracted here have not suffered much by the excep-That the ratepayers of the Colony will be our field of operations in many directions, tional decline; prices have accommidated pleased to hear the Secretary of State In Australia we consed to underwrite in themselves to the change, and we do not The donors to the prize fund were :- H. Player, Mr R. G. Lawson, Mins Grace has directed this uncarned increment' April last, in Bombay also we decline look for any harmful results to general Hon. E. R. Belilios. C.M.G.; Hon. C. P. to be retained, and has thus set a worthy business, and the greatest effort will be credit here as is almost bound to be the Chater; Hon. Ho Kai; Hon. J. J. Kos- Mrs S. O. Eaton. Miss Louis Hill. Mr. example to the coming Retremehment made to make the future results of our ense in India. Unless the Home Govern- wick : Dr Ayres, C.M.O.; T. Jackson, and Mrs. Secondard, Mr. Leopard Lees, That perhaps the Unofficial Members might changes, commissions and charges, which unless they will come down from their Esq.; He Tung, Esq.; Poon Peng, Esq.; Vokobania; Hon, A. H. Baring and man.

shareholder may wish to address to me.

tion which can be submitted convenient. accounts as presented. In doing so I will be glad to answer them before passing R. F. Limmert, b Murray ly for the inspection of a jury.

Should like to express the satisfaction which the accounts.

That the chop or mark which formed the I feel (and I am sure the rest of the share ground of the alleged forgery in the case holders feel the same) on hearing your reseased to satisfact to was interior to was intrinsed upon the rump marks as to the London agency. This and said he was pleased to hear that the Murray was pleased to hear that the Murray was said by Aldia, Mr. Grant, Mr. Gr sould not be easily docksted, marked ment, and the General Managers were quite a note issue, He could assure them that Exhibit A, or handed up to the Bench. justified in giving it a fair trial. The such an last would be welcomed by the That speaking of Juries, the Jurors are to thanks of the shareholders are now due to be congratulated upon the proposed rethe General Managem and the Consulting profit to the Bank.

To Hongkoug: Mr J. L. Loveland.

The motion was then put and married and mar services.

That the principal complaint was that some themen. I repeat that I have much pleapersons were called upon to sorve twice aure in according the motion to adopt the seconded by Mr Cheung Will Hing, it was

alades the business of the meeting. The and were still doing.

which was carried unarimously. attendance.

NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA

The annual general meeting of shareholders in this Company was held at the Bank premises, Queen's Road Central, at moon to-day. Mr D. Gillies, Chairman of the Bank, presided, and there were also resent Mesers, H. Stolterfold, Chan Kit Shan, Kwan Hoi Chun (Directors), and number of shareholders (Chinese). The Chief Manager, Mr G. W. F. Play-

fair, read the notice of meeting.

The Chairman said :- Gentlemen.

to you the report, and, accounts for the past

Half year, which show a distinct advance

and indicate the progress made since our

last yearly meeting. The net profits from

1st January, 1893, to 30th June were not a little proud of the fact, while 229 673 16 and from 30th June to 30th Denember: \$85,161,08; and your Directors are therefore of opinion that a small hat, when he was engaged in firing up dividend may be declared, absorbing his firemen to noble deeds of rivilry in the \$44,852,88, leaving \$10,053.18 to be carried forward to best account. The amount to he carried forward will, with future addiwe trust, be the commence-That, all the same, whether Witchell, ment of a substantial reserve fund which, in time, will add to the value of Scotch, or Irish, they did their duty with your investment and give additional credit Recitation ..... The Grandmother.' honour to themselves and to the Brigade and security to the Bank. Our hysiness continues to be conducted with every care and caution, our object being rather to do a safe business which moderate profits than a risky business with abnormal results, and I very oreditably, and the physical drill was it is pessible that spectators may see a few would again reiterate what I have before also a pleasant feature of the afternoon's seconds flight of the runners in the short told you, i.e., that we avoid looks-up of every description so as to keep our funds liquid and available for financing the movements of produce and for arbitrage and exchange operations generally, in whatever direction may at the moment appear most profitable. An regards a small issue of notes, many of our shareholders, and especially our Chinese chareholders, who with characteristic shrawdness recognise the profitable nature of a carefully placed noteissue, have for some time urged on your directors the desirability of such an issue ; the constitution of the Company directly authorises it and it has hitherto only been a question of expediency, but now that we have established the bank firmly on a sound foundation, we think the time has arrived when we can, with eafety to the public and credit to the bank, issue a moderate amount of notes, and the matter is now Geography, Pencil; Kitty Turner, Gram- wholly nusatisfactory, The Hon, Secretary Anarchists were made here last evening. under consideration. The past year has mar, Blotting Case; Lizzie Cleon, Dicta- (I think that is his designation) deserves including a many hamed Bastard, without been a trying one for all Eastern banks. tion, Blotting Case; Ida Armstrong, Bead- all the credit the public can bestow for believed to be the real author of yesterday's The orisis in Australia, the closing of the ing, Book; Mary Quincey, Writing, his efforts, from year to year to year to justil some bomb outrage. do at house our decome very mints in India, resulting in a collapse in Writing Case; Louiss Heang, Nuedlework, life into the Sports, but he, apparently, is milver from 384 per oz., to 274 per oz.; and the repeal of the Sherman Third Class Annie Parker. Dictation, direction, and the gradual decline of the which is to take place at the lambral of Act, have all severely accentuated the Ivory & Silver Penholder; Wong Sur Sports is ample evidence that his single. Bourdin who was killed by the explosion at ordinary responsibilities of bank directors Kum, Arithmetic, Case of Pencils; Reuben | banded and whole-hearted attempt is not Greenwich. The funeral will be at Finchand managers; they have had to deal with Abraham, Geography, Box of Penoils; Ella | quite sufficient to keep the Sports on the lay Cemetery to-day of the lay Cemetery to-day of the lay Cemetery to-day.

tainly unprecedented in the experience of Parker, Writing, Writing Case; Ella King, the present generation. It will not be out Reading, Book ; Jennie Madar, Needleplace for me here to add my protest on work, Plush Bag. behalf of the Bank against the disastrous Fourth Class-Eva Robertson, Arithaction of the Indian Government, founded on the recommendations of the Herscholl Committee-a committee which has been called a committee of experts, but which did not include in its composition a single banker cognisent by experience with Eastern Exchanges, and not only that the recommendations and action resulting therefrom were is direct opposition to the emphatic evidence and advice of the best representatives of Indian and China banks. The blind error of closing the mints, has only been equalled by the combination, since then, of obstingey and vaditation exhibited That the subject was referred Home by the quarter are more encouraging than they 4d. has so far failed in its object and has done Colonial Secretary (as plaintiff) and by have been of late, and an extensive and more harm than good. The Government of the Colonial Treasurer (as holding a valuable connection has been acquired, India ignored the fact that the balance of Chinese Embroidery, First Prize; Jane Sports should approach all the Clubs in the brief as watchman over the purse. yet as the representations made by share- trade might go against India—that they Quincey. Chinese Embroidery. — Second Colony with a view to the appointment of were making the rupes an inconvertible Prize.

terrible fall in prices, and that the ultimate · ffeet would be to drive exchange still lower parently denied to those who ignore the immutable laws governing the abb and countries-the result on the present opension is that the balance of trade is going against | Thimble. India and further heavy loads will be added The large sum of \$246,540 appearing on take the lead in establishing an internawhich is a very creditable document in- like me to explain. It is made up of present position of affairs. The only other or not, but it is so far satisfactory to see to which I can allude, and I will conclude China exchanges. From a recent telegram these remarks by approunteg a hope that in | we learn that the Indian Budget provides for has been manifest to residents and mis now ruling we may experience a fair silver. Obviously the Indian Government visitors for many years past, and the measure of prospersty whilst working on has not profited by the experience of the That Mr May has evidently examined this this company. Before proposing the adoption of the report and accounts I shall be traffic on our streets and wherves has the conservative lines on which we intend last sight months, as this attempt to discrequences to general trade. With these re | Bercombe Smith, e Tomlin, b Firth ...

point cropped up the other day, and the man moved the adoption of the report and the report and accounts be adopted, and Capt. Welman, o F. Maitland, b Firth that a dividend of \$1.11 per share be paid, G. A. Woodcock, o F. Maitland, b Mr. J. D. Humphreys :- Mr Chairman free of income tax, on all shares whose calls ... Morray

or three times during a year, while others report and statements. See anoth, seed that Mesors J. H. Cox and W. H. C. M. Firth, I.b.w. b Sercombe Smith. 12 cannot healthy comfortable. Gallete and the second control of the That while harmless games of chance are McConschie proposed and Mr I. Co. he re-elepted auditors in Hongkong, G. O. Marray, run out.

That while harmless games of chance are Pearce seconded the appointment of Mr J. Co. he re-elepted auditors in London, for mental seconded the appointment of Mr J. Co. he re-elepted auditors in London, for mental seconded the appointment of Mr J.

Mr A. Johnston seconded the motion, The Chairman briefly soknowledged the domplifient, and thanked those who had attended the meeting; dividend warrants would be issued on application next Monday.

BELILIOS PUBLIC SCHOOL PRIZE DISTRIBUTION.

The annual distribution of prizes took place at the Belilion Public School for Girls this afternoon. There was a large attendance of ladies and gentlemen, the parents and friends of the children. Prior to the distribution the scholars went through following programme of music and recita-

directors have much pleasure in submitting Recitation ..... Baby's Stocking, Freddie Coleman. Bong ..... Children's Voices, Regitation .... The Spider and the F Annie Parker, Elle and Lily King. Song Tommy and the Applea. Some from TANING OF THE SHEEW Kote ..... Florence Ackers. Little Turner. Hortensio ...... Rafaela Boas: Ethel Long. Taxior Haberdasher ..... May Hunter,

> Hilds Knohwaldy. Song. Past Eight o'clock. All the children acquitted themselves

Bong.... The Fox and the Grapes

The prizes were presented to the successful pupils by the headmistress. Mrs E. A. Batoman. The prize list was an follows:-

Birst Class -- Lizzie Turner, Composition, Giri's Own Annual; Kate Ruchwaldy, History, Writing Case; Hilda Long, Diotation, Tennyson's Poems; Lizzie Abraham Arithmetic Pencil Case : Long, Geography, Writing Case; Abraham, Grammar, Book Ben Hur ! Florence Ackers, Reading, Browning's Poems: Kate Ruchwaldre Recitation, Shakespeare; Madeline Quincey, Writing. Writing Case : May Hunter, Diligence & Regular Attendance, Book.

tion, Book ; Lizzie Olson, History, The the imagination, it may be called an great damage. Way and the Will; Hanneh Olson, arrangement-is totally inadequate and Work Case, to gradient cases they be design

a state of things in the money market cer- King, Grammar, Case of Pencils; Annie high level they at one time attained. An

metic, Work Box; Lily King, Dictation, Work Box : Chong Ohoy Kee, Reading, Work Box: Hilds Ruchwaldy, Recitation, Work Box. Fifth Clair. - Nellie Olson, - Biret Prize Kitty Abraham Second prize; Fas Ah

Mai, -Third Prize ; Freddy Coleman, -Fourth Prize. Sixth Class. - Alice Leabirel, First Prize; Emma Papier, Second Prize: Achai Dalbasah, Third Prize; Lily Heang, Fourth

Mabel Germain, Highest number marks in Examination.

Letitia King, Needlework. Madeline Quincey and Lie King Chan, in saying that the Hon. Secretary of the

No I Chinese School-Mr Ho Kam-po.-Ch'an Pik-in, lat prize, Earrings; Lau Tu

Hoi, 4th prize, Handkerchief. Fan : To Mai King, 2nd prize, Silver Athletic Sports falling into desuctude,

No II School-Mrt Loung King-ham .- solutions which, with your permission, Siu Min, 3rd prize, Handkerchief; Kou

Neudlework-Loung Yak, 1st prize, Fan; Chung San Ying, 2nd prize, Bilver Thim-

Shang, Esq.; Kwan Hor Uhuen, Esq.; J. Chuen, Esq., Barry Wicking, Esq.; B. losses, return premia, charges, commis- alternative now appears to be to re-open Cooks, Esq ; Dr and Mrs Eitel; Mrs

CRICKET CLUB & WIGWAM TENNIS CLUB. Played at the Oricket Ground this aftermoon, and resulted in a win for the Cricket Club on the first innings. For the Clab. Ross Thouspson played a good innings, making half the wore, chiefly by hard bitting. He had just reached the century

regarded with favour here as a rule, it

was thought to be out of place to turn
the Jurous ballot box into a sort of
tails I win, heards you lose business.

That now the Jurous who have served cannot be called upon to serve, again until
all the Jurous on the list, have served.

That he insthod if simplify, and the remedy
teannot tail to be facility.

That if I mistake not, the oredit for this

reform may be fairly divided between

Mr. Pondwell and the Chief Juriou.

Pearce seconded the appointment of Mr. J.

Co. he re-elegied auditive in London, for
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THE ATHLETIC SPORTS To the Editor of the " CHIRL MAIL

Hongkong, March 9, 1893. Six,-I was pleased to see by your issue of to-night that an "stiampt is still to be been appointed to accompany the two made to bring off the annual Athletic Sports. This is as it should be, and there a sufficient number of entries will be received to induce the Committee of Management to carry out their programme. tame opinion expressed pratty generally carried out on Sunday night dies during the past week-that the Athletic telephonic communication being establish Sports would be more popular if held, as in botween Calcutte and Negper, a distance of not one of those who would seek to interfere torohanged between the two stations. with our grand old game of oricket, nor - the and senor or canter would I eall in question the right of the Cricket Club to occupy our most convenient of Zente in the Greek Church has acrive European Regrention Ground, though that in Calcutta on his way home from Chicago matter. I believe, requires looking into; but and to-day attended a meeting of the I think there should be a readiness on the unual Methodist Conference." Him Grace part of the Cricket Clab to meet the con- repeated St. Paul's sermon at Athenia b venionce of the general public at least once a year. The orieket pitch need not suffer

from the Sports. I believe a great deal of the unpopularity at the Happy Valley. There is no proper provision made for the convenience of spectators-I suppose the funds do not warrant the Committee in making such provisionand if anybody wishes to see something of all the events on the programme a steeplechane has to be performed every now and then across the track, ditch and whitewashed rails. exhibitating, but for the ladies and veterana' it is scarnely so enjoyable. If the same arrangements are made as last year. races, but that will be only after a good deal of undignified jostling and pushing in a somewhat motley crowd. In every way, the Happy Valley is the least convenient place for Athletic Sporte.

without proper arrangements for a small nourse for the long races, for a grand stand from which all the events may be witnessed. and for the crowd being kept strictly out of the police have discovered that the anthor bounds. If held on the Orioket Ground no of the plot was a mair bearing the tiams of grand stand would be required, and all the Rabaly who took rooms in two houses and other conditions would be fulfilled

suggest the establishment of an Athletic the door they would explade de The second Club or of a composite Committee for the carrying out of annual Athletic Sports. The ing to remove it explained it with electricity Second Class-Louisa Heave, Composi- present arrangement-if by any stretch of at a cafe distance. The explosion did the only one who makes any effort in this of Liondon are organizing a great display Athletic Club is not perhaps required There are far too many Clubs for athletic exercises already in Hongkong. They are steadily but surely killing anon other There are, I know, several energetic gentle. has died from her injuries of girly at men on the Committee of the Vistoria Recreation Club, who might put their heads together and evolve some soheme for gal-

and rowing might all be fostered legitimate- come tax and succession doules. It is ly by a Becreation Club. If the Club moreover, miented to convert the five per undertook to include all these in its overla cont Rentes into the particular decimant culum there need be no further fears as to the perpetuation of the Hongkong Athletic Sports. But if the V.R.O. fails to see its Bill is still before the Emanes Committee way to take this step, I have no besitation of the Senate. Contending inte a composite committee having in it some elements of continuity. Representatives. in equal numbers, might be elected from te on, 2nd prize, Pins for Hair; Wong Lin | the cricket, football and hookey clubs and and the Lusitano Club, Once a Committee was elected from members of these clubs. Needlesoork-Lam Yau Tong, 1st prize, think there would be little danger of the Something ought to be done; here are two

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to be tried once to be used in every house-There are several varieties : we may begin with the simplest. In each case the novel riter will no longer have to lessen his scenty income by the purchase of reams and weary, and felt as if something had come of foolecap. All that will be necessary for over me. All my bones ached and I had so forms, to be obtained gratuitously at the myself. I was constantly vomiting, sometimes nearest post-office. On each of these, with a green, hitter finid came away, at other times, a little practice, he will be able to write a frothy water. I had a dull, heavy pain at the complete novel. Here, for instance, is an right side, the whites of my eyes were a yellow old isshioned romance in telegraphic form : colour, and my skin was sallow as if I had the old isshioned remance in telegraphte form:

Earl dead, Edwin disjunctied. Godfrey takes money. Woos Angelina. Unso thick that I had to scrape it away. My aphand me, Sir; rejected. Real will found.

Edwin true heir, marries Angelina. Godfray forged : prison. Joy. Only 25 words, observe, but the entire weight at my chest and through to my back, also tale is there, divested of all that super- a gnawing, sinking sensation at the pit of my fluous padding which is so justly disliked stomach. I was greatly troubled with wind in these days. It is indeed not a little sur- which rolled all over me, and gave me so much prising that this development of fiction pain it was like spasms, for I could not straighten should not have been made before. It has been recognized that under the old system of verbose literature it was impossible for the writer to maintain a barely walk across the floor. I felt so downhigh level of excellence throughout his hearted that I used to say I shall never get work, and accordingly we have been better any more in this world. I took all kinds given small volumes with such titles as of medicines, but finding myself getting worse I Gems from George Elllot, Dismonds got a recommendation to the Leeds Infirmary, from Dickens, and the like. But when where I was attended to by several doctors, who the telegraphic novel comes into general gave me medicines, which I took month after pecasion for the less excellent passages; we shall get only the gems, without having to search for them through vast tracts of inferior writing. There is indeed no reason why the works of our older writers should not be republished on this summary of 'Pickwick' or 'Vanity

Fair'I It would serve to introduce those silly and modern :-

in oof. Old gent climbs down. Double herness to-morrow. Ripping!" We are not vain, and do not wish to

boast, but with the greatest possible modesty we claim that for pure, concentrated, undiluted idiocy this sample will be found difficult to beat, and it is entirely composed in the language that has lately become so popular with novel readers. Arrangements foremost writers of the day to supply telegraphic stories. The intelligent reader will formation she wanted. The visit resulted just have no difficulty in recognising the author-

ship of the following: tion, wedding.

Not even saxpence need bang for this had lost all faith in physic, and if Mother Seigel's tale, which is all contained in ten words, Syrap were "physic," we should not look for leaving two over for the preface and the index. And yet none of the local colour remedy, not "physic." It dosen't upset and is lost. Only the superfluous descriptions of the sky and the irritating conversations in Gaelio are omitted, while, for those who like it, 'Wass you ferry well?' can be added for an additional two-pence. The next specimen comes from a writer whose style already had telegraphic symptoms about it, and for whom, therefore, our system will be an especial godsend : Mulvaney on considerable bend. Row, natives. Blooming civilian saint appears.

Once more, we repeat, what could be more entisfactory? There you have the crisp marked individuality of style, with no added ingredients, like the advertised co-5008. The system will be an immense boon to readers, as few of us can find time to read all the novels published in their present form, while for the future we shall be able thoroughly to master about sixty stories an hour. Immense, too, will be the gain to writers, for they will be remunerated at the same, or at an increased rate-for their readers will become far more numerouswhile what was formerly the labour of months will now be accomplished within a law minutes; every novelist will consequently enjoy a princely income, and the

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heart of Mr. Besant will rejoice. There is a second form of the telegraphic novel which will appeal chiefly to those who like rather longer works, with plenty of dialogue. The author will take his postoffice forms, as before, but in this case each of them will contain a chapter of his work, and will be a flotitious message sent by one of his characters to another. Here, for instance, in a complete romance written on this system, in which, it will be observed, the personal as well as the psychological portraiture is all the more vividly rendered by condensation. As a great critic puts it "It is what he omits shows me the master

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for them, since a few telegraphic forms will replace bulky rolls of MS. And we may conclude with a modest hope that when all other forms of flotion is they inevitably must be, have been superseded for ever ! the telegraphic novel, the inventors of this remarkable and magnificent scheme may not go forgotten and unrewarded .- The

And it was not for an hour's chat over a cup far. We have much pleasure, therefore, in or tail of, that Mrs. Calap thought the only bringing before the public our recently-

patented Telegraphic Novel, which will soon her if it was true what was said. What Mrs. supersede all others. The brand has only Mills told her is contained in the annexed state-Road, Leeds, do selemnly and sincerely declare an follows :--"In the early part of November, 1887, I fell

into a low, weak state. I was tired, languid, be a stock of blank telegraph much pain that I did not know where to put petite fell away, and after esting the simplest and lightest food I had so much pain that it nearly killed me. I had always great pain and felt so weak and exhausted that I could searcely drag myself along. As time went on I wasted sway until I got as thin as a match, and could

use we shall obtain only the cream of each month, but I got no better. The doctors soundauthor's work, he there will be no space or ed my chest and lungs, and seemed puzzled with my sufferings, for they frequently changed my medicine. Getting no hetter I next went to the Dispensary in North Street, and persevered taking their medicines, but it was all to no purpose. I now gave up taking physic for I had lost all faith in it, and my sufferings continued until January, 1891, when I heard a neighbour admirable plan. Pocket editions are of mine, Mrs. Ann Mills, 40, Bread Street, wary well in their way, but, after all, having been cured (after the doctors had given they give only a spurious appearance of her up) by a medicine alled Mother Seigel's brevity. How much better would be a Curative Syrup. I went with my daughter to telegraphic edition of the best authors, see Mrs. Mills, who told me that Seigel's Syrup by which we should be able to obtain in had saved her life, and would do me good. a few brief pithy sentences a complete got a bettle of the medicine, and after taking a summary of 'Pickwick' or 'Vanity few doses I felt relief. I continued with the Syrup, and after taking three bottles all the pain left me, my food agreed with me and I gradually almost forgotten works to the present gained strength. I can now take any kind of generation, and it would also come as an food and never feel any distress and am as especial boon to the Oxford man wishing to strong as ever I was. After my recovery a lady read for the lately-established English customer of mine said to me Mrs. Calap, what the Company's Office until 5 p.m. th

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